



MEDIA ADVISORY

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MEDIA INVITED TO LUKE OPEN HOUSE MARCH 18, 19, 20

The 56th Fighter Wing welcomes members of the working press to cover "70 Years of Thunder."

In order to gain access and press credentials, you must be a member of a valid news organization.

This means a bona fide media outlet must employ you or you must be specifically commissioned in writing with a letter of assignment by such a firm to cover the Open House. Examples of media outlets include newspapers, magazines, journals, TV and radio stations, documentary production companies, officially recognized Internet portals, etc. The deadline for media credential applications for "70 Years of Thunder" will be Feb. 28, 2011.

Parking is provided for media during the event. All media who wish to drive on base for parking, to include media trucks, will be subject to background checks and search of vehicles. To apply for credentialing and receive a parking pass, each media member must send their full name, birthday, driver's license number, driver's license state of issue, whether or not they are a U.S. citizen, and social security number to the public affairs office at 56fwpublicaffairs@luke.af.mil. Mailing addresses are also required, and passes will be mailed the week prior to the open house. The information may also be given by phone to Jodi Jordan at 623-856-6012.

Media opportunities are available Friday, March 18, during the practice show, as well as over the weekend. Media must RSVP to Ms. Jordan with the days they plan to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Jordan. Information is also on our site at www.luke.af.mil/library/lukedays.asp.